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from including any other information it desires on the label.

#### §91.1007 Display exemption.

An uncertified marine SI engine is a display engine when it is to be used solely for display purposes, will only be operated incident and necessary to the display purpose, and will not be sold unless an applicable certificate of conformity has been received or the engine has been finally admitted pursuant to subpart H of this part. A display engine is exempt without application.

### §91.1008 National security exemption.

(a)(1) Any marine SI engine, otherwise subject to this part, which is used in a vessel that exhibits substantial features ordinarily associated with military combat such as armor and/or permanently affixed weaponry and which will be owned and/or used by an agency of the Federal government with responsibility for national defense, will be exempt from these regulations for purposes of national security. No request for exemption is necessary.

(2) Manufacturers may request a national security exemption for any marine SI engine, otherwise subject to this part, which does not meet the conditions described in paragraph (a)(1) of this section. A manufacturer requesting a national security exemption must state the purpose for which the exemption is required and the request must be endorsed by an agency of the federal government charged with responsibility for national defense.

(b) EPA will maintain a list of models of marine SI engines (and the vessels which use them) that have been granted a national security exemption under paragraph (a)(2) of this section. This list will be available to the public and may be obtained by writing to the following address: Manager, Engine Compliance Programs Group 6403–J, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW., Washington, DC 20460.

### §91.1009 Export exemptions.

(a) A new marine SI engine intended solely for export, and so labeled or tagged on the outside of the container and on the engine itself, is subject to the provisions of §91.1103, unless the importing country has emission stand-

ards for new marine engines which differ from EPA standards.

(b) For the purpose of paragraph (a) of this section, a country having no standards, whatsoever, is deemed to be a country having emission standards which differ from EPA standards.

(c) EPA will maintain a list of foreign countries that have in force marine SI emission standards identical to U.S. EPA standards and have so notified EPA. This list may be obtained by writing to the following address: Manager, Engine Compliance Programs Group 6403–J, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC. 20460. New marine SI engines exported to such countries must comply with EPA certification regulations.

(d) It is a condition of any exemption for the purpose of export under §91.1004(b) that such exemption be void ab initio with respect to a new marine SI engine intended solely for export if such marine SI engine is sold, or offered for sale, to an ultimate purchaser in the United States for purposes other than export.

### §91.1010 Granting of exemptions.

(a) If upon completion of the review of an exemption request made pursuant to §91.1005 or §91.1008, EPA determines it is appropriate to grant such an exemption, a memorandum of exemption will be prepared and submitted to the person requesting the exemption. The memorandum shall set forth the basis for the exemption, its scope, and such terms and conditions as are deemed necessary. Such terms and conditions shall generally include, but are not limited to, agreements by the applicant to conduct the exempt activity in the manner described to EPA, create and maintain adequate records accessible to EPA at reasonable times, employ labels for the exempt engines setting forth the nature of the exemption, take appropriate measures to assure that the terms of the exemption are met, and advise EPA of the termination of the activity and the ultimate disposition of the engines.

(b) Any exemption granted pursuant to paragraph (a) of this section is deemed to cover any subject engine only to the extent that the specified

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terms and conditions are complied with. A breach of any term or condition causes the exemption to be void *ab initio* with respect to any engine. Consequently, the causing or the performing of an act prohibited under §91.1103(a) (1) or (3), other than in strict conformity with all terms and conditions of this exemption renders the person to whom the exemption is granted, and any other person to whom the provisions of §91.1103 are applicable, liable under sections 204 and 205 of the Act.

# §91.1011 Submission of exemption requests.

Requests for exemption or further information concerning exemptions and/or the exemption request review procedure should be addressed to: Manager, Engine Compliance Programs Group 6403J, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460.

## §91.1012 Treatment of confidential information.

The provisions for treatment of confidential information described in §91.7 apply to this subpart.

# Subpart L—Prohibited Acts and General Enforcement Provisions

### §91.1101 Applicability.

The requirements of subpart L are applicable to all marine engines and vessels subject to the provisions of subpart A of this part 91.

#### §91.1102 Definitions.

The definitions in subpart A of this part apply to this subpart. All terms not defined herein or in subpart A have the meaning given them in the Act.

### §91.1103 Prohibited acts.

(a) The following acts and the causing thereof are prohibited:

(1)(i) In the case of a manufacturer of new marine SI engines or vessels for distribution in commerce, the sale, the offering for sale, or the introduction, or delivery for introduction, into commerce, of any new marine SI engine manufactured after the applicable effective date under this part unless such engine is covered by a certificate of

conformity issued (and in effect) under regulations found in this part.

(ii) In the case of any person, except as provided by regulation of the Administrator, the importation into the United States of any new marine SI engine manufactured after the applicable effective date under this part unless such engine is covered by a certificate of conformity issued (and in effect) under regulations found in this part.

(2)(i) For a person to fail or refuse to permit access to or copying of records or to fail to make reports or provide information required under §91.1104.

(ii) For a person to fail or refuse to permit entry, testing or inspection authorized under §91.118, 91.505 or 91.1104.

(iii) For a person to fail or refuse to perform tests, or to have tests performed as required under §91.118 or §91.1104

(iv) For a person to fail to establish or maintain records as required under §91.1104.

(3)(i) For a person to remove or render inoperative a device or element of design installed on or in a marine engine in compliance with regulations under this part prior to its sale and delivery to the ultimate purchaser, or for a person knowingly to remove or render inoperative such a device or element of design after the sale and delivery to the ultimate purchaser; or

(ii) For a person to manufacture, sell or offer to sell, or install, a part or component intended for use with, or as part of, a marine SI engine, where a principal effect of the part or component is to bypass, defeat, or render inoperative a device or element of design installed on or in a marine SI engine in compliance with regulations issued under this part, and where the person knows or should know that the part or component is being offered for sale or installed for this use or put to such use.

(4) For a manufacturer of a new marine SI engine subject to standards prescribed under this part:

(i) To sell, offer for sale, or introduce or deliver into commerce, a marine SI engine unless the manufacturer has complied with the requirements of §91.1203.